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Chamundi Hill Road restoration begins

Works unscientific, alleges Chamundi Betta Ulisi Horata Samithi

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (RK, PM & BCT)- The State Government has released Rs. 10 crore to restore the portions of the Nandi Statue Road atop Chamundi Hill that witnessed a series of landslides. Following the fund release, earthworks have begun and trenches are being dug to remove the mud to lay the concrete.

An earth mover has been engaged to remove mud from the damaged portion and according to Public Works Department (PWD), extensive damage has been caused between the View Point and Nandi Statue and the damages extend up to 400 metres. While removing the mud, the earth mover is also excavating huge boulders.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, PWD Assistant Executive Engineer Raju said that works have just started as rains have given a break and the initial task is to remove mud. "This work will take a fortnight or so and we have to factor in the time lost due to rain. All works are being done based on the latest technology and as recommended by the scientists," he added.

Scientists from the Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru have submitted a detailed report on the landslides and how to construct the retaining wall using Geo Trail Technology to prevent future landslides. "We are doing the works in a scientific manner and all works are being done keeping in mind the ecology of the Chamundi Hill," Raju said.

After the mud is lifted, concrete will be laid. The work will be held under the supervision of scientists. When asked about the allegations that the works are being undertaken in a hush-hush manner, the officer said that it is unfortunate that people are making such allegations as soon as the works began without understanding the facts.

"We have just begun the works and people must understand that we are acting as per scientific recommendations that have been listed after studying the soil patterns in depth. You cannot find fault with everything and without scientific knowledge," he said.

A portion of Chamundi Hill — between View Point and Nandi Statue — collapsed thrice. While the first landslide occurred on Oct. 20, 2021 near the spot where a massive slip had occurred in 2019. On Oct. 31, 80 percent of the road shrunk in the second slide. One more landslide occurred on Nov. 4, just 10 mts. away from the Oct. 20 landslide area.

'Nandi Statue Road repairs unscientific'

Meanwhile, the Chamundi Betta Ulisi Horata Samithi has alleged that the works are being done in a hush-hush manner without proper analysis.

(See HILL on page 6)

Real estate agent murdered by minor son

Unable to bear torture on his mother, he had hatched a plot to eliminate his father 15 days back

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (SBD, RK & KS)- A real estate agent was murdered by his minor son at their residence in city yesterday afternoon.

The deceased is Sampath Kumar (60), a resident of 7th Cross in Brindavan Layout 1st Stage. He was into real estate and incense sticks business and was residing with his wife Gayathri, a teacher at a private school and his 16-year-old son, who is pursuing his Diploma course.

Initial reports said that a miscreant had barged into the house of Sampath Kumar at about 3.30 pm yesterday and allegedly struck him (Sampath) hard on the head with an iron rod and fled. Sampath is said to have died on the spot.

Deceased Sampath Kumar

Speaking to *Star of Mysore* this noon, City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta said that deceased Sampath Kumar's minor son is the one who had murdered his father. This was revealed by the accused during interrogation, he added

City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandraguptha** (in blue shirt) **and other Police officers in front of the murder victim's house yesterday.

(See MURDERED on page 6)

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Tuesday 9th August 2022

Photo-journalism, Short film making workshop

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (SSM) - Mysuru District Nehru Yuva Kendra (NYK), Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Photojournalism Academy and Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Maharani's Arts College for Women, have jointly organised a 90-day Photo-journalism and Short film making professional training workshop from tomorrow (Aug. 10).

Nehru Yuva Kendra (NYK), Karnataka State Director M.N. Nataraj and District Youth Officer Vinay Kumar will inaugurate the workshop tomorrow at 11 am at M. Jayalakshmammanni Auditorium of Maharani's College. College Principal Prof. Srinivas will preside over the programme.

Information and Public Relations Department Assistant Director T.K. Harish will inaugurate the Short film workshop.

Senior journalists Amshi Prasanna Kumar and T.R. Satish will deliver special lectures, according to a press release.

I-Day jatha on Aug. 10

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (SSM) - As part of *Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav* celebrations, Sarada Vilas Educational Institutions, Mysuru, has organised a *'Namma Nadige Raashtraikyathededege'* jatha on Aug. 10 at 9 am from Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple near Palace North Gate in city.

In-charge Mayor Sunanda Palanetra will inaugurate. Mysore Medical College & Research Institute, Dean & Director Dr. H. N. Dinesh, Sarada Vilas Educational Institutions President Dr. B.M. Subraya, Hon. Secretary N. Chandrashekhar, Corporator Dr. G. Roopa will be the chief guests.

Sarada Vilas institutions students and staff members will participate in the jatha, according to a press release from Sarada Vilas College of Pharmacy, Mysuru, Principal.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

In the midst of darkness, there is only one who can provide the light, and lead us to our destination. He is the Master called Guru, who helps the individual to distinguish between matter and spirit, real and unreal, and truth and myth. It is the Guru who elevates the devotee from the world of maya to the ultimate state of Truth. According to Vedic texts, the Guru is held in high reverence, equal to God. He is considered a living God. He reveals the truth contained in the Vedas and scriptures in a way easily understandable. A Sanskrit hymn says: 'Salutations to the teacher-disciple tradition starting from Sadashiv with Adi Shankara in the middle and continuing up to my immediate teacher – Sadashiv Samarambham.'

Everyone aspires for happiness, but its concept differs from person to person. Happiness eludes those who seek it from outside sources. It is the mind that causes delusions. If one rises beyond the mind, he will realise his real natural state and attain the highest state of bliss. It is precisely for the purpose of pointing out the straight path towards happiness that Shiv took the form of Adi Shankara. Through his various commentaries, Shankara, the Advaita philosopher, said that through Jnana, knowledge, alone real bliss is achieved. There are various means to attain knowledge, like study of scriptures, introspection, or self-inquiry, but the most effective means is by seeking the grace of the Guru.

— V.S. Krishnan in The Times of India

NEWS SPARKLERS

Mom creates anime-inspired lunchbox art

Tokyo: Bento box art, aka kyaraben, is a big deal in Japan, so big in fact that it has its own social media platform where professional and amateur artists alike can share their creations. But even on there, some talents stand out, and that is definitely the case with Riyu Yuda, a young mother-of-one who started making bento box art as a way to make her four-year-old son enjoy the healthy treats she made for him. She specializes in anime-inspired edible compositions, creating detailed edible portraits of popular characters.

Riyu Yuda rose to fame last year when photos of her amazing kyaraben (Japanese art form of arranging various foods to create eye-catching designs) creations went viral on Japanese social media platforms. Fans of anime franchises like Kimetsu no Yaiba and Jujutsu Kaisen loved the way she used various ingredients to create edible versions of their favourite characters, and she gained thousands of new followers in a short amount of time.

Limited-edition sneakers with beer-filled soles

Amsterdam: Dutch beer company Heineken recently teamed up with sneaker designer and customiser Dominic Ciambone aka The Shoe Surgeon, to create a special sneaker with beer-filled soles.

The so-called "Heinekicks" feature the company's iconic color scheme – green, white and red – as well as the Heineken logo, and handy bottle openers built into the tongues. But what really sets them apart from any other sneakers is the liquid floating in their transparent soles – actual Heineken Silver beer. Dominic Ciambone created the first ever pair of sneakers that allow the wearer to walk on beer and it's not just about the look, as the soles also provide a smooth and comfortable walking experience. The fluid shifting inside the sole as you walk is said to provide a unique feeling.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Fact,

Sinuses and Ears (middle Ear) are the extensions of the nasal passages. Hence, the nasal infections easily travel to sinuses and middle ear.

By Dr. Dathathri H. A. - ENT, Head and Neck Surgeon & Cochlear Implant Surgeon
Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

"Star Performer Award" for Mysuru's PLANSEE India

Mysuru, Aug. 9- PLANSEE India High Performance Materials Pvt Ltd., Mysuru, has been awarded with the Engineering Export Promotion Council of India's prestigious "Star Performer Award" - Southern Region for Outstanding Performance and Excellence in Exports for the year 2018-2019.

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai gave away the award in a recently conducted mega event in Bengaluru.

Sanjay Joseph and Prabha Tirupatiananthachar from the Management team received the award on behalf of PLANSEE India.

Supriya Salian, Chairperson of CII Mysuru, is the Managing Director of PLANSEE India HPM Pvt. Ltd., located at Hebbal Industrial Area, Metagalli.

National De-worming Day from tomorrow

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (SSM) - National De-worming Day with an aim to eradicate intestinal worms among children in the age group of 1 to 19 years is observed throughout the country on Aug. 10 and on Aug. 17 every year.

On Aug. 10 at 11 am, District In-charge Minister S.T. Somashekar will distribute de-worming tablets to children and launch the programme organised at Maharaja Government PU College on JLB Road in city.

REALLY...?

- ***Ancient breads and cakes were sometimes used in religious ceremonies. These were purposely fashioned into specific shapes, according to the observance.***
- ***Round & circle shapes generally symbolise the cyclical nature of life. Most specifically, the sun and moon.***
- ***Cakes baked in molds could be shaped and decorated to look like animals (Easter lambs), castles & crowns (Bundt & Turk's head) or fancy jewels. Enriched yeast breads share the same place at holiday tables.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Patient 1: *Why did you run away from the operation table?*
Patient 2: *The nurse was repeatedly saying, 'Don't get nervous,' 'don't be afraid,' 'be strong,' 'this is a small operation only,' things like that.*
Patient 1: *So what was wrong in that? Why were you so afraid?*
Patient 2: *She was talking to the surgeon!!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 79.54
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 96.14
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 21.66
1 Euro	= Rs. 81.10

VOICE OF THE READER

KSRTC driver-cum-conductor risking passengers' safety

Sir,

Last Monday (1st August) I happened to travel by KSRTC (Karnataka Sarige) non-stop bus from Mysuru to Bengaluru at around 5.40 am. I religiously took my ticket from the non-stop counter and boarded the designated bus.

The bus was yet to be filled and the driver was calling out for collecting the passengers in the bus. Many people boarded the bus without taking their tickets from the counter, as the driver ensured he will issue tickets in the bus. As it was getting late, people inside the bus were frustrated and told driver to depart.

Finally, the bus departed at 6.10 am and after Manipal Hospital junction the driver was calling out people to buy tickets and this was going on till Srirangapatna — all while he was driving with one hand and busy with ticket vending machine and money on the other.

He was constantly looking behind and yelling at people to buy tickets and collect change. He even told a fellow passenger to do headcount for tallying the tickets issued.

Now, that the Highway is being constructed and lot of diversions are present, if any untoward incident would happen who will be liable for the loss.

I request the KSRTC officials to strictly advice their drivers from performing such stunts while at the wheels. They can employ a conductor for non-stop bus if they need to offer tickets on the go inside bus. Please do not play with the lives of passengers and pedestrians.

—M.S. Mayur
Mysuru 5.8.2022

Gold Medal instituted in Siddharamaiah's name at UoM

Mysuru, Aug. 9- Marking the 75th birthday of former Chief Minister Siddharamaiah, a Gold Medal has been instituted in Siddharamaiah's name in University of Mysore (UoM).

Announcing this here on Monday, District Congress President Dr. B.J. Vijaykumar said that a Gold Medal/cash prize will be given to a student who pass out 5-year BA, LLB degree securing highest marks in first attempt.

Pointing out that the endowment has been made in the name of **'Sri Siddharamaiah-75 Amrutha Mahotsava Gold Medal'**, he said that the former CM is an alumnus of UoM, completing his LLB from the Varsity and practiced Law before entering politics.

Dr. Vijaykumar further said that the District Congress Committee had passed a resolution in this regard and the institution of the Gold Medal was announced on Monday at the public function organised by the Congress to launch the *padayatra* at Tagadur in Varuna Assembly segment, as part of 75th year of Independence.

An amount of Rs. 1.05 lakh has been deposited with the UoM for the endowment in the name of Siddharamaiah.

While 80 percent of the interest accrued on the endowment shall be utilised for award of one Gold Medal/Cash prize/Scholarship/arranging endowment lecture called *Sri Siddharamaiah-75 Amrutha Mahotsava Chinnada Padaka* at the University's Annual Convocation every year, the remaining 20 percent shall be added to the corpus of the Fund, he said.

In the event of there being more than one student securing equal marks, the prize shall be distributed equally in terms of cash only, he added.

Music Varsity to have Chair on Adivasi Arts Studies

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (PM&DM)- The city-based KSGH Music and Performing Arts University has decided to establish a Chair for Adivasi Arts Studies.

Announcing this to presspersons here yesterday, Music University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Nagesh V. Bettakote said that the University is making efforts to carry out research in Tribal Arts and the establishment of the Chair is a major step in this regard. Pointing out that the Chair will work for saving tribal arts which are on the brink of extinction by imparting education and conducting research, he said that the Music Varsity has joined hands for Adivasi Dance Festival in city in this direction.

Noting that the basis of all forms of our arts is tribal culture, he stressed on the need for saving tribal arts and said that tribal arts are dedicated to tribal Gods and as such they have special significance. Music University has also planned to bring out a handbook on Adivasi culture.

BAI felicitates 17 meritorious children of construction workers

Mysuru, Aug. 9- Builders' Association of India (BAI), Mysore Centre, in association with Mysore Builders Charitable Trust (MBCT), had organised a programme to felicitate 17 meritorious children of construction workers who scored more than 80% marks in the recently concluded SSLC and II PUC exams at a programme held at MBCT Auditorium in city.

R. Raghunath, Chairman, BAI, Mysore Centre, congratulated all the meritorious children of construction workers and spoke elaborately about the tradition of felicitation by BAI to all of them. He also gave a brief report about the activities of BAI.

Manjula, Retd. DDPI of Mysuru, who was the chief guest, advised the students how to gain and improve their knowledge.

A.V. Sridhar, Managing Trustee of MBCT, who was the guest of honour, requested the students to utilise the benefits provided to them and a special mention was made appreciating the efforts of BAI Mysore in conducting many programmes to the students.

A. Dinesh and K.L. Gururaj read the citation of the 17 deserving children of the construction workers who have talents in sports, cultural activities and scored more than 80% marks.

The chief guest felicitated all the students with certificates, mementoes, note books, pens and cash prizes. Spoorthi (BAI Ladies Wing) President Vani Subramanya announced a special cash prize for 4 topper girl students in memory of late Madhavi Gurushanthappa, Past President of Spoorthi.

Naganandhini contributed a cash prize in memory of her late husband J.V.R. Naidhruva for 2 topper boy students; Ramprasad couple contributed the books called "Life Skill Development" to all the students while K.R. Yoganarasimhan donated bags.

A few students expressed their views and opinions.

Student R. Sneha rendered invocation. V. Srinath, Hon. Secretary, BAI, Mysore Centre, proposed a vote of thanks. Jahanavi Dinesh, Spoorthi Member, compered.

PUC toppers are: K.S. Rishika Salanke, Mahila PU College, Saraswathipuram; S. Keerthan, Sri Jayachamarajendra PU College, Vishweshwaranagar; V. Harshitha, JSS PU College, J.P. Nagar; S. Karthikeya, Marimallappa's PU College; G. Anusha, Sri Jayachamarajendra PU College, Vishweshwaranagar; C. Monika, Shree Adichunchanagiri PU College, Kuvempunagar and S. Impana, Marimallappa's PU College.

SSLC toppers are: B.K. Amrutha, Kalabharathi High School, Yelawal; N. Vishal; R. Nalini, Belavadi; R. Sneha, Brindavan High School, Brindavan Layout; R. Divyashree, Brindavan High School; M. Teju, St. Thomas School, Vishweshwaranagar; N. Geetha, St. Thomas School; L. Nagendra, Govt. High School, Vinayakanagar; R. Sujeeth, Sree Siddheshwara High School, Vijayanagar 1st Stage and M.S. Harshavardhana, Govt. High School, Vontikoppal, North Zone.

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Are you in the bracket of advanced maternal age couples? Are repeated miscarriages haunting you? Are multiple failed IVF cycles adding to your anxiety and prolonging your quest for pregnancy? Are you worried about Genetics disorders? If the answer is yes to any of the above queries, you need not be worried anymore as there are new-options and treatment procedures that will address each of the above specifically and provides a ray of hope for a successful parenting experience.

Gunasheela IVF Centre, now situated at Cauvery Multi specialty Hospital, Mysore, a pioneer that has introduced several firsts in the field of Infertility and Gynecology, has introduced PGS (Pre-Implantation Genetic Screening – a procedure designed to examine embryos for Genetic disorders chromosomal abnormalities before transferring them into the uterus.

Dr. Devika Gunasheela

services at its center. The center offers the cutting edge & revolutionary technology of PGS

This procedure goes a long way in reducing the likelihood of miscarriage, decreases the risk of abnormal pregnancies, reduces the time to pregnancy & additional costs incurred with multiple failed IVF cycles and increases the likelihood of a pregnancy with single embryo transfer (ESET).

Dr. Devika Gunasheela, Fertility Specialist, Cauvery Gunasheela IVF Centre, Mysore said, "PGS is a boon particularly for advance maternal age couples and families who have had recurrent pregnancy losses both naturally and through IVF. We have achieved a pregnancy through a single frozen embryo transfer after a PGS procedure done within 24 hours. The PGS was done in a record time of 24 hours in our own in –house lab, the first of its kind in South India. This single embryo was transferred and resulted in a successful pregnancy." For more information, please contact: Cauvery Gunasheela IVF Centre, 5th floor, Malavalli -Mysore Road, Mysore. Mobile: 9108444527 or 0821-2343585, Bangalore Centre:080-46462600.

NEWS BRIEFS

Free medical health camp

On the occasion of 75th Independence Day celebrations, Gopala Gowda Shanthaveri Memorial Hospital, T.N. Pur Road, Nazarbad, Mysuru, will be offering 75% discount on all investigations and a free medical health camp for senior citizens from 9 am to 1 pm on Aug. 15. The camp includes free physician consultation, ECG monitoring, Blood Sugar and BP check-up. For details, contact Mob: 91084-53643.

Yajur Upakarma

Hebbar Sreevaishnava Upasabha, K.R. Vanam, has organised Yajur Upakarma at Sri Rama Mandira in Krishnamurthypuram on Aug. 11 at 7.30 am. For details, contact N.R. Ramaprasad on Mob: 94488-72458 or G. Mukund on Mob: 63636-43981.

Pratibha Puraskar

Karnataka Rajya Shivarchaka Kshemabhivrudhi Trust, Kanakadasanagar, will be presenting Pratibha Puraskar for meritorious students of Shivarchaka community who have secured above 90% marks in SSLC or PUC exams (2021-22) at a programme to be held at Karnataka Rajya Shivarchaka Sangha's renovated building on Adichunchanagiri Road in Kuvempunagar on Aug. 20 at 11 am. Eligible community students may send their applications along with a photocopy of markscard to Vamadeva, #896, 3rd Main Road, 3rd Cross Road, Kanakadasanagar, A-Block, Mysuru-33, before Aug. 15. For details, contact Mob: 94485-76450 or 99017-00637.

'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' Week in K.R. Constituency till Aug. 14

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (MTY&DM)- Marking the 75th year of Indian independence, a week-long 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' celebrations will be held across K.R. Constituency from Aug. 8 to 14.

Announcing this at a press meet at a Private Hotel in Lakshmipuram here this morning, K.R. MLA S.A. Ramdas said that as a first step, 23 MUDA-approved private layouts coming under MCC Wards 64 and 65 (Aravind Nagar and Srirampura), were handed over by MUDA to MCC yesterday (Aug. 8) for regular maintenance and upkeep, thus meeting the long-pending demand of residents.

From today (Aug. 9), music programmes involving patriotic songs will be held in all the 19 MCC Wards coming under the constituency, for five days (till Aug. 13). Also, a programme will be held at Chamundipuram Circle (Tagadur Ramachandra Rao Circle) at 5.30 pm today (Aug. 9), he added.

Continuing, Ramdas said that only 1,000 property owners in Ashokapuram have been issued Title Deeds, while 3,000 others are still seeking the same even after decades of struggle. But now, taking note of the plight of property owners, the authorities have decided to issue Title Deeds along with Khata and Revenue Tax to the remaining 3,000 property owners of Ashokapuram, at a programme to take place at the Government School opposite Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Park in Ashokapuram on Aug. 11.

On Aug. 12, Prabhat Pheri (procession) involving school and college students, will be taken out from near the Palace at 9.30 am. The procession will march through the main thoroughfares of the city before culminating at Vidyaranyapuram's Bhutale Grounds. Hundreds of students from Government and aided educational institutions studying in Classes 6 and above, will take part in the Prabhat Pheri, he said adding that the winners of various contests and competitions will be distributed prizes on the occasion. He further said that students will perform a musical band that involves patriotic songs.

Referring to 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign, Ramdas said that the National Flag will be hoisted atop 2,000 homes in each of the Ward coming under K.R. Assembly segment and this target will be achieved by Aug. 13.

Highlighting that a widespread campaign has been launched for ensuring the success of 'Har Ghar Trianga' campaign, he sought the co-operation of everyone for hoisting flags atop atleast 50,000 homes on Independence Day.

Announcing that the trial run for making all the 19 Wards of the constituency borewell-free will be started, he said that the works on connecting more than 500 borewells to parks is going on a war-footing. Asserting that so far, more than 400 borewells have been taken out from domestic water distribution system, the MLA said that thus far, 100 borewells have been connected to parks. This is the first step towards making the constituency a borewell-free one when the country is celebrating the 75th year of independence, he added.

On Aug. 14, a massive bike rally, with youths from all the 19 Wards coming under K.R. Assembly segment carrying the Tricolour, will be taken out on all prominent roads of the city, before culminating near the Palace at 6 pm.

Ramdas appealed the citizens to celebrate this special Independence Day on Aug. 15 by hoisting the National Flag atop their homes and distributing sweets in their neighbourhood.

K.R. Constituency BJP leaders M. Vadivelu, Om Srinivasan, J. Nagendra Kumar, Prasad Babu, Santosh and others were present at the press meet.

Mystery shrouds death of Kodagu-born dentist, daughter in Bengaluru

Bengaluru, Aug. 9- Mystery shrouds death of a Kodagu-born dentist and her daughter, who were found hanging at the house in Banashankari Police limits, Bengaluru. The incident took place on Saturday, which came to light lately.

Dr. Nellachanda Shyama Muthappa and her daughter Aradhana

The deceased are Dr. Nellachanda Shyama Muthappa (39), a native of Virajpet in Kodagu and her daughter Aradhana (10).

Shyama Muthappa's husband Dr. Narayan is also a dentist. They were in love while studying and married later. According to the complaint lodged by Shyama's brother at Banashankari Police Station, Shyama and Aradhana ended their lives when no one was present at the house.

Three gold chains snatched on a single day in city

Mysuru, Aug. 9- Despite City Police taking all possible steps to prevent crimes in city, chain-snatchers have posed a challenge to the Police by snatching three gold chains at three different places in city on Aug. 6.

In the first case, 52-year-old Nagamani Ramesh, a resident of 2nd Main, 7th Cross in Vidyaranyapuram, lost her gold chain to bike-borne chain-snatchers.

At about 9 pm on Aug. 6, Nagamani and her daughter were walking on the 2nd Main Road, when two bike-borne chain-snatchers yanked off her 40 grams gold mangalya chain and sped away.

A case has been registered at Vidyaranyapuram Police Station.

In the second case, 57-year-old M.J. Hyachint, a resident of Yadavagiri Railway Quarters, was proceeding with his sister Leena on his scooter (KA-09-EM-1185) near Sankranti Circle in Hebbal at about 3.30 pm, when two chain-snatchers, who came on a bike from behind snatched a 35 grams gold chain and sped away.

A case has been registered at Hebbal Police Station.

In the third case, bike-borne miscreants have snatched a 40 grams gold of 50-year-old Shantha, a resident of Kuvempunagar 2nd Stage. She was returning home from a shop at about 9.10 pm, when the chain-snatchers, who came on a bike snatched her chain and sped away.

A case has been registered at Kuvempunagar Police Station.

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM			
Maximum	:	124.80	feet
Today	:	122.42	feet
Yesterday	:	123.10	feet
Inflow	:	87,512	cusecs
Outflow	:	97,871	cusecs

KABINI DAM			
Maximum	:	2,284.00	feet
Today	:	2,282.51	feet
Inflow	:	34,165	cusecs
Outflow	:	37,167	cusecs

HARANGI DAM			
Maximum	:	2,859.00	feet
Today	:	2,855.22	feet
Inflow	:	10,981	cusecs
Outflow	:	11,225	cusecs

Man goes missing

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (KS)- A 36-year-old man, who left his house in Hassan on Aug. 5 at about 9 am, saying that he was going to meet his wife in Mysuru, has since gone missing.

M.R. Rakesh

The missing man is M.R. Rakesh, a resident of Vidyanagar in Hassan. Rakesh at about 12.30 pm, called his brother over the phone and informed him that he was in Sub-Urban Bus Stand in Mysuru, but he neither met his wife nor went to her house and his mobile phone was switched off.

Rakesh is 6 ft. tall, oval faced, wheatish complexioned, normal built, has the names 'Roshan' and 'Reenu' tattooed on his left hand, has the mark of surgery on the left side of his back and near his left chest, speaks Kannada, Hindi and English and was wearing a black jacket and blue jeans pant and was carrying a cream coloured bag.

Those having any information about the missing person may contact Lashkar Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418107/ 307 or call Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

Online fraud: Rs. 1.08 lakh illegally withdrawn from Bank account

Mysuru, Aug. 9- A fraudster, who called a person and sent him a website link to activate a credit card, has illegally transferred Rs.1,08,788 from the person's Bank account, thus cheating him.

The person, who lost his money, is A. Koragappa, Senior Superintendent of the Mysuru Division Postal Department.

Koragappa received a call from Mobile number 62066-43941 and the caller asked Koragappa to click on the link sent to him on his mobile phone to activate the credit card. When Koragappa clicked on the link, an amount of Rs.1,08,778 was immediately transferred from his (Koragappa) Bank account.

A case has been registered at City's CEN Police Station.

Karnataka Public Safety Act

Police hold awareness meet for owners of commercial establishments in city

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (RK&KS)- The Devaraja Sub-Division Police had organised an awareness programme at MMC&RI Platinum Jubilee Hall in J.K. Grounds yesterday for owners of various commercial establishments on Karnataka Public Safety (Measures) Enforcement Act-2017 and the Karnataka Public Safety (Measures) Enforcement Rules, 2018.

ACP M.N. Shashidhar said that the public safety rules are applicable to all commercial establishments, industrial establishments, religious places, educational institutions, hospitals, sports complexes, railway and bus stations and places of an organised congregation where more than 100 people gather at a time or more than 500 people frequent per day. Pointing out that owners of these establishments should compulsorily install CCTV cameras, door frame metal detectors, hand-held metal detectors, baggage scanners etc., for the safety of the public and staff, he said that the owners should see to it that the CCTV cameras are installed at entry and exit points, parking lot and a camera be projected towards the road covering 50 yards as it would help in the prevention and detection of crime.

Stating that violation of the Act is a serious offence, ACP Shashidhar said that the owners of commercial establishments should ensure that the CCTV footage is stored for a minimum of six months. Cameras have to be installed in such a way that it covers the approach areas at the entry and exit points and also the entry and exit points of parking lots. Anyone found violating the Act will be fined Rs. 5,000 for the first time, Rs. 10,000 for the second offence and if the violation continues, that particular establishment would be shut down, he added.

The owner or manager of an establishment must periodically certify to the Police that the public safety measures have been installed and are in proper working condition. The establishment must bear the cost of providing public safety measures. These steps are necessary to be taken as Dasara is just a month away, he noted.

Devaraja Inspector Diwakar, Lashkar Inspector P.P. Santosh, Nazarbad Inspector Jeevan, Alanahalli Inspector G.N. Srikanth, Udayagiri Inspector Raju and others were present.

All sub-sects of Madiga community should unite: Union Minister

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (PM&DM)- Calling upon all sub-sects of Madiga community to become united, Union Minister of State for Social Justice and Empowerment A. Narayanaswamy said that he was supportive of any activity that is done with unity.

He was speaking after inaugurating 'Adi Dravida' convention organised by Akhila Karnataka Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Pourakarmika Development Trust in association with Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Adi Dravida Pourakarmika Youth Development Association, at KSOU Convocation Hall in Muktagangothri campus along Hunsur Road here on Sunday.

Stressing on the need for all sub-sects, which are known by different names such as Adi Dravida, Madiga, Adi Karnataka etc., to come together, Narayanaswamy said that there are about 60 to 70 Madiga sub-sects and it is vital that they all stand united for the growth of the community and to seek fulfilment of demands.

Observing that there are certain issues pertaining to the sub-sects, he said that all these have to be resolved for the betterment of the society.

MLA S.A. Ramdas, in his address, said that he would strive for the construction of a residential school for the community with help from the Centre.

The community members submitted a memorandum to Union Minister Narayanaswamy seeking fulfilment of their 10-point demands, which included introduction of inner reservation for the community as recommended by A.S. Sadashiva Commission, more representation to the community in the Legislative Assembly and Council, implementation of the recommendations of I.P.D. Salappa Committee, regularisation of service of Pourakarmikas serving in Local Bodies and to increase the subsidy for Safai Karmacharis to Rs. 5 lakh, among others.

MLA L. Nagendra, former RS MP K.B. Krishnamurthy, State Safai Karmachari Commission Chairman M. Shivanna, former MUDA Chairman H.V. Rajeev, former Mayor Purushottam, Hunsur CMC Member Rani Perumal, K.R. Nagar TMC Member Shankar, Nanjangud CMC Member P. Deva, Trust President B.S. Subramanya, Working President V. Raju, General Secretary H.S. Suresh Kumar, other office-bearers Palani, Shankar Babu, Shivasrinivas, Vijay, S.P. Mahadev and others were present.

Siddu questions BJP's contribution for country's independence

Mysuru, Aug. 9- Asserting that it was the Congress which fought for the country's freedom, Opposition Leader and former Chief Minister **Siddharamiah** questioned the BJP's contribution in the freedom struggle.

He was speaking after launching the Congress *padayatra* marking the 75th year of independence at Yelwal in the outskirts of the city on Sunday.

Pointing out that the Congress, which was established in 1885, had fought relentlessly for the country's independence for 62 long years, he said that great personalities such as Bal Gangadhar Tilak, Gopal Krishna Gokhale, Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, Subhash Chandra Bose and Abul Kalam Azad were all products of the Congress who sacrificed their lives for the cause of independence. But the Jansangh was established only in 1951 and in 1980 it transformed as the present BJP, he said and wondered what was the contribution of the BJP for the country's independence.

Noting that it was the Congress which first propagated the spirit of patriotism among the masses, he lashed out at the BJP for 'teaching' the Congress on patriotism.

Launching a tirade against the JD(S), Siddharamaiah said that the JD(S) was never involved in any struggles.

Pointing out that the Congress supported the JD(S) in 2018 in order to keep out the corrupt BJP from power, he averred that the Coalition Government fell because of H.D. Kumaraswamy's (HDK) follies and the Congress was not responsible for the collapse.

Terming the BJP Government in the State as a '40 percent Commission' Government, he asked the people to throw out the corrupt BJP from power in the Assembly polls and to bring the Congress to power with an absolute majority. He also called upon the party workers to set aside their differences and work for ensuring the victory of the party candidate, no matter who the candidate is.

KPCC Working President R. Dhruvanarayan, leaders K. Marigowda, Narasegowda, T.B.Chikkanna, Jesudas, Gurupadaswamy, Rakesh Papanna, Lekha Venkatesh, Narayan, Arun Kumar and others were present.

City entrepreneur makes a global mark

William Penn, founded by Mysurean Nikhil Ranjan, acquires Sheaffer, an iconic US pen brand

Nikhil Ranjan

Bengaluru, Aug. 9 (Agencies)- William Penn, a premium writing instruments and lifestyle accessories brand, has acquired Sheaffer, a 110-year-old iconic American brand, particularly known for its premium fountain pens. This transaction makes it one of the prominent US brand purchases by an Indian player.

It has acquired the brand from A.T. Cross Company, in a transaction that comprises Sheaffer's complete product portfolio and licences, including premium pens, journals and gift sets.

Bengaluru-based William Penn was founded in 2002 by Nikhil Ranjan, who is the Managing Director of the company. He hails from Mysuru and is the son of Ashvini Ranjan, Founder-Trustee, Pratham Mysore. Nikhil got his BE degree from the National Institute of Engineering (NIE), University of Mysore in 1999 and went on to launch William Penn.

As part of the acquisition, William Penn will be taking over Sheaffer's manufacturing, marketing and retailing across 75 countries including the USA, UK, Mexico, Malaysia, Thailand, South Africa, Japan and India, among others.

This is William Penn's second acquisition after 2016 when it acquired the British brand Lapis Bard and with it, diversified into men's accessories, including leather bags, wallets, cufflinks, watch chests and pen cases.

"At William Penn, we see the current acquisition as a remarkable opportunity to further build on the preferences and tastes of Indian customers, while also factoring in global needs during the product development of new Sheaffer models and lines," said Nikhil Ranjan.

"Sheaffer enjoys a 15 percent market share in the premium writing instruments (pens above the 10 dollar) segment in India. We hope to double this market share and plan to make India the number 1 market for Sheaffer in the next three years," Nikhil added.

Post-acquisition of the Sheaffer brand, William Penn plans to set up distribution centres in India and outside. It also plans to expand the product range from writing instruments to premium stationery and small leather goods, including cardholders and wallets, said Ranjan, adding it is a big opportunity.

No restrictions on Ganesha festival

But plastic and Plaster of Paris idols banned; only mud idols allowed

Bengaluru, Aug. 9 (Agencies)- After a two year hiatus, Ganesh Chaturthi this year can be celebrated without any restrictions in Karnataka. The State Government has withdrawn all restrictions related to the public celebration of the Ganesha festival this year.

Revenue Minister R. Ashoka said at a press conference in Bengaluru yesterday that Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai had issued instructions to this effect after holding consultations. He further said that no idols made of plastic or plaster of Paris will be allowed and only clay idols will be allowed.

The Minister's reaction came after the Bruhat Bangaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) said that this year too, the 'one ward, one Ganesha idol' rule will be implemented. BBMP Commissioner Tushar Giri Nath had said on Saturday that the Government has been discussing framing the rules and the 'one ward, one Ganesha idol' rule could be considered.

After the BBMP Commissioner's statement, many organisations and associations objected and demanded that they be allowed to celebrate the festival in an unrestricted manner.

"All the restrictions on the religious festivals introduced during the pandemic have been lifted. People should be able to welcome such festivals with a positive attitude," the Minister said.

With Ashoka's clarification, all restrictions on Ganesha festivities enforced during the height of COVID-19, such as restricting public celebrations to only one idol per ward in Bengaluru and one idol per panchayat in rural areas, have been lifted.

Last year, the Government allowed limited public celebrations with some conditions due to the second wave of the pandemic which had a devastating impact in India. Public celebration for a maximum of five days only was allowed during the festival while prohibiting cultural programmes and processions.

Chamundi Hill Road restoration

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Former Mayor B.L. Bhyrappa told reporters at Patrakarthara Bhavan yesterday that due to the unscientific nature of the works, there is imminent danger to the other parts of the Hill. The repair works have to be stopped immediately and they should be taken up only after a detailed scientific evaluation and estimate, he said.

Many heavy vehicles are moving on the stretch where landslides have occurred and repeated movement of heavy trucks carrying construction materials will spell danger for the remaining parts of the road. "At the works site, a deep trench extending up to 15 to 20 feet has been dug and it looks like a precarious situation," he said.

"It is public property and as per the rules, a display board stating the nature of the works, estimated cost, the department carrying out the works and the contractor details have to be published and a signboard has to be erected at the place of works. Here, no such board has been erected and the public does not have any visibility," he added.

Bhyrappa demanded the immediate halting of the works and also a ban on heavy vehicle movements. Senior writer Prof. Kalegowda Nagawara, Prabha Nandeesh, Gantaiah and Parashuramegowda of the Samithi were present.

Real estate agent murdered

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The City Top Cop said that Sampath Kumar used to physically torture his wife everyday and unable to see this, the minor son had hatched a plot to eliminate his father about 15 days back. He killed his father by hitting him on his head with an iron rod after he returned from the college yesterday afternoon.

After killing his father, the minor son informed his neighbour that a miscreant had killed his father. Believing him, the neighbour called '112' Police helpline. The Police, who rushed to the spot, barricaded the place to prevent people from entering the scene of crime.

City Police Commissioner Dr. Chandragupta, DCPs Pradeep Gunti and M.S. Geetha Prasanna, N.R. Sub-Division ACP Shivashankar, V.V. Puram Inspector Venkatesh, Metagalli Inspector Harish Babu, Ravishankar from Vijayanagar Police Station, Raghu from Mandi Police Station, Sub-Inspectors from all Police Stations coming under N.R. Division, City Crime Branch Police, dog squad and fingerprint experts had visited the spot yesterday and conducted inspection. The sniffer dog, which went around the house and later went near a house where tiles were being laid and proceeded further for about 30 minutes and returned back.

Sampath was not a big time realtor. He was selling incense sticks and doubled up as a broker to show houses which were available for sale, rent or lease to customers and was not into any big financial transactions.

Residents, who had gathered near the house last evening, were heard speaking that Sampath had never quarrelled with anyone and expressed why would anyone kill him so brutally.

V.V. Puram Police, who had registered a case, had obtained the statements of Sampath's wife and son yesterday.

There were doubts that Sampath may have been murdered due to personal rivalry and the Police had begun their investigation in this angle too. But, when the Police interrogated deceased Sampath's minor son, he spilled the beans.

YAI Multi Class Youth Sailing and Kiteboard Championship

120 sailors compete for ranking at KRS backwaters

Srirangapatna, Aug. 9 (Vinay Karekura&BCT)- The Yachting Association of India Multi Class Youth Sailing and Kiteboard Championship was formally inaugurated at the Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) Dam last evening. The water in the Dam is to its brim and the skyline was dotted with boats where more than 120 sailors from across India competing with each other for the coveted national ranking.

The mega event was inaugurated by Minister for Youth Empowerment and Sports K.C. Narayanagowda in the presence of K. Gopalaiah, Minister of Excise and Mandya District Minister, Pandavapura MLA C.S. Puttaraju, Captain Jitendra Dixit, Honorary Secretary General, Yachting Association of India, Maj. Gen. (retd.) Devaya of Yachting Association of Karnataka, Brigadier Shalabh Gupta, Commandant, MEG and Centre, Mandya SP N. Yatish and Assistant Commissioner Shivananda Murthy.

The event will be held till Aug. 13 and is being jointly conducted by the Mandya District Administration in association with the Madras Engineering Group (MEG) of the Indian Army and General Thimayya National Academy of Adventure (GETHNAA).

In his inaugural address, Major Girijesh of MEG said that the national event has a total of 120 registrations from 14 clubs and the races comprise seven classes — ILCA 4, ILCA 6, 29ER, 420, RS One, Optimist and Kiteboard.

"The KRS Dam provides an excellent opportunity for sailing with a huge open area. The venue provides an ideal situation for inland sailing and also provides conditions of shore sailing less the tidal situation. With the availability of excellent prevailing conditions, a wind speed of 25-30 km and an ideal temperature of 25 - 28 degrees Celsius, this is a wonderful place to sail," he added

Minister Narayanagowda said that Mandya offers immense tourism potential and the district will be developed as a tourism hub. He added that his Ministry has released Rs. 15 lakh to promote sailing as a sport and enable the youths to make use of the opportunities and also rank well in the national and international events.

Mandya District Minister Gopalaiah assured that an international sailing event will be conducted in the KRS Dam next year.

Impressive cultural programme

As part of the event, a bodybuilding show was held where champions from Madras Engineer Group and centre demonstrated their physique. They are, Subedar Kamaraj, a 7-time *Mr. India* and international bodybuilder, Nb Sub Anuj Taliyan *Mr. World 2019*, a 3-time *Mr. India* and *Mr. Asia 2022*, Spr Nammi Maru Naidu, *Mr. Asia* Silver Medal 2022, Spr Amal, Spr Arun and Paranshu Singh *Mr. Services* and *Mr. Army.*

Later, Kalari artistes of the MEG presented Kalarippayattu. Singer Sabir Bux, Secretary Orissa Yachting Association and an international scuba diver and the first Indian in the world to hold Limca Book of World Records three times for underwater singing performance rendered a song for Trishna Sailing Club. There was also a Military Band (pipe and drums) performance led by Nb Sub G. Ramu.

'Royal family and AIISH have a great bondage'

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (RKB&SSM)- All India Institute of Speech and Hearing (AIISH), Mysuru, celebrated its 57th Annual Day this morning at AIISH Seminar Hall, Knowledge Park, Naimisham Campus in city.

Rajesh Bhushan, IAS, Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, who was the chief guest, addressed the gathering virtually.

He said, "The Government of India is committed to address the issues related to communication disorders in children and adults. AIISH, Mysuru, established in 1965, is a premier institute in the area of speech and hearing disorders. For the last 57 years, the institute has been working towards providing services to persons with communication disorders."

Stating that AIISH, Mysuru, with a goal of a world-class centre for persons with communication disorders in the country has established a new 'Centre of Excellence', he said that it has been established to provide state-of-the-art clinical services, assistive technology and surgical solutions for rehabilitation.

Pointing out that the emphasis on 'reaching the unreached' began at AIISH in January 2008, launching the first two Outreach Service Centres (OSCs), the OSC activity was extended to eleven more centres in collaboration with State Government Hospitals and NGOs.

Bhushan also appreciated the institute for educating the public about communication disorders by organising monthly public lectures, live phone-in programmes, radio and TV programmes and so on.

Earlier, Titular head of Mysore Royal Family Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar inaugurated the programme by lighting the traditional lamp.

He recalled the establishment of AIISH in city during 1965 and said that Jayachamaraja Wadiyar donated 22-acre of land to build the institute. "Jayachamaraja Wadiyar came across various Speech and Hearing Centres during his tour to the USA in the year 1959. Returning from there he came up with an idea to have one such Centre in Mysuru too and donated the Royal family property to build AIISH."

Lauding the service provided by AIISH to all the people who come seeking cure and help, Yaduveer said that the Royal family and AIISH have a great bondage. "It's a matter of pride and happiness to see many such Educational Institutions established by the then Rajas in city completing 100 years and more," he noted.

Ph.D holders Dr. Megha, Dr. Rubin Thomas Verghese, Dr. M.N. Mamatha, Dr. K. Arun Raj, Dr. M.B. Vikas and Dr. C. Jawahar Anthony were felicitated by Yaduveer Wadiyar.

Clinical Training Module for Student Clinicians in Speech Language Pathology and new Tests and Therapy Resource materials were launched on the occasion.

Dr. M. Pushpavathi, Director, AIISH, Dr. M. Santhosh, Head, Department of Speech-Language Sciences were present.

Singer, Lyricist and Music Director Vasuki Vaibhav will be the guest of honour for the cultural programme which will be held at 6.30 pm today at AIISH Seminar Hall. Rangayana Mysuru Director Addanda C. Cariappa will be the chief guest.

Three-day Mysuru Start-Up Pavilion and Conclave at SJCE concludes

Spotlight on ease of doing business, women power

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (GA&BCT)- The three-day Mysuru Start-Up Pavilion and Conclave to boost Start-Ups in Mysuru and highlight the opportunities for entrepreneurs and showcase possibilities concluded on Aug. 7 with a host of innovations on display. The event saw the participation of thousands who were attracted to the Start-Up ecosystem.

The conclave was held at SJCE premises and over 150 stalls highlighted the innovations. Over 25 speakers and an equal number of mentors from a varied set of professions and entrepreneurs delivered technical sessions. The conclave was jointly conducted by SJCE-STEP, CII, Karnataka Digital Economy Mission and other partners.

They discussed several entrepreneurship opportunities, especially in a Tier-II city like Mysuru where there is good availability of land and there is improved connectivity. The technical sessions and panel discussions also focused on the hurdles many Start-Ups face while setting up businesses in rural areas.

At a panel discussion on 'Mysore Start-up Durbar' entrepreneurs Adarsh Sudhindra, Krupa Sumanth and M.S. Akshara Kumar discussed the challenges of starting a Start-Up in Mysuru. Akshara Kumar felt that the industrial and entrepreneurial landscape in Mysuru had changed for the better over the years and now is the best time to invest here. There are many challenges to establishing a Start-Up in Mysuru but there is no separate set of challenges for men and women entrepreneurs. "Starting a business is easy in Mysuru but attracting customers is a daunting task," said Krupa Sumanth. She was quick enough to add that if quality products are provided, customers will not shy away from buying.

Another panel discussed women entrepreneurs where well-known names in the women investor landscape Supriya Salian, Chaya Nanjappa, Chaitra Harsha and Srilakshmi Desiraju said that there are many insights into the way business is conducted by women and how many of them have tasted success.

Some women entrepreneurs have led to social transformations in their field of business and also ensured that the communities associated with the business also grow, they said.

Pitching ideas before judges

Innovations apart, a Start-Up pitch competition 'Shark Teens' was organised where students had to present their Start-Up concepts to the judges. The event was organised by 'Think Beyond'. Also, prospective Start-Ups pitched their concepts to a panel of venture capitalists.

Among them were Aeronuts, an ed-tech Start-Up that seeks to preserve and shape the curiosity of children from an early age in the field of aeronautical and aerospace sciences with STEM-based DIY kits and interactive workshops, NGSportiwe Technology Pvt. Ltd., a community-based app that connects all athletic enthusiasts and LearnInk, a social learning platform.

Vishwakarma is a 'Kayaka Samaja': Former CM

Mysuru, Aug. 9 (RKB&DM)- Observing that Vishwakarma is a 'Kayaka Samaja' (working class community), Opposition Leader and former CM Siddharamaiah has called upon the community to get empowered in all respects. He was speaking after inaugurating the newly formed Sri Vishwakarma Seva Trust at a programme organised at Kalamandira recently.

Noting that Vishwakarma community members are intellectually strong, though a majority of them are economically backward, Siddharamaiah said that Vishwakarmas, despite being the producers, did not enjoy their products and instead it was the upper classes which reaped the benefits.

Pointing out that the 'Chaturvarna' system of caste categorisation has been in existence since centuries, he said that though the idols of Gods is sculpted by Vishwakarmas, they are kept out after their consecration, while priests enter in. Wondering whether any priest had built a wall, the former CM said that it is the Kayaka Samaja that is building homes and moving the cogs of wheel of product manufacturing. "Basavanna established Anubhava Mantapa in the 12th century in order to create an equal and equanimous society. But it is unfortunate that caste system still prevails even after centuries," he rued.

"Patients who are in dire need of blood get it without bothering to know from which person it was drawn. But after getting blood, people revert back to casteism which is most disappointing," he said while stressing on the need for developing humanity and building an equal society.

Maintaining that Dr. Ambedkar had come up with the mantra of Education, Organisation and Movement for all backward sections of the society, he called upon Vishwakarma community members to follow this mantra for success in life.

Taking credit for establishment of Vishwakarma Development Corporation which was aimed at empowering the community in all respects, when he was the Chief Minister, Siddharamaiah asked the community members not to fall prey to false promises being made by the BJP, when elections are round the corner.

Earlier, noted actress Bhavya unveiled the plaque of the Trust. About 150 meritorious students of Vishwakarma community who scored high marks in SSLC and PUC, were presented with Pratibha Puraskar on the occasion.

Dr. Neelakantacharya Swamiji of Madhugiri's Nittarahalli Vishwakarma Mutt graced the occasion. Former Vishwakarma Development Corporation Chairman Nandakumar presided.

MLAs L. Nagendra and Anil Chikkamadu, MLC Dr. D. Thimmaiah, ex-MLC Puttasiddashetty, former MUDA Chairman H.V. Rajeev, Trust President Puttaswamachar Anandur and General Secretary Kendaganna Vishwakarma were present.

A game-changer push-cart; just charge, don't push

Among the Start-Up innovations showcased at the conclave was Electric Vendor Cart (EVC) to help push-cart vendors who sweat it out pushing carts selling their goods or vegetables and travelling many miles every day. Pushing the carts with heavy goods is no easy job and it requires a lot of energy. They travel at least five to six kilometres every day and this game-changer innovation will greatly help. The innovation is done by B.K. Hemantha Kumar, Founder and Director of 'Na Bhutho Na Bhavishyathi Tech' based at Yadavagiri in Mysuru.

A BE and an MBA graduate, Hemantha Kumar has powered the vehicle with chargeable batteries and has put a handle to steer the cart with ease as it moves on its own and no efforts are required to push. It has three wheels (economical cycle wheels) and a braking system too.

The push-cart has been designed in two variants. While one cart is just a cart, the other has a seat and luggage space. The maximum speed of the cart is 15 km per hour and for a full charge, it covers a 40-km distance and can ferry up to 300 kgs. Kumar has added solar panels so that the batteries are charged easily to keep the cart running.

Maharaja Trophy KSCA T20 Cricket Tournament

Mangalore United register second win, defeat home team Mysore Warriors

Bengaluru Blasters defeat Gulbarga Mystics

Mysuru, Aug. 9- Rain played spoil sport in the second game yesterday, but that didn't stop Mangalore United from picking up the win against the home team, Mysore Warriors. R. Samarth's Mangalore United won by 8 runs (VJD method) at Srikantadatta Narasimharaja Wadiyar Ground in Mysuru.

Asked to bat first, Mysore Warriors had a slow start, losing captain Karun Nair (5) and Naga Bharath (9), just before the end of the powerplay. Meanwhile, Nihal Ullal at the other end was making run-scoring look relatively easier in comparison.

Ullal and Pavan Deshpande were in the middle, with a task on their hand, which they set about doing on cue. The third wicket partnership produced 38 runs with Ullal (44) just missing out on a well-deserved half-century.

Deshpande and Shreyas Gopal could not kick on as the latter departed for 5 and the former was dismissed for 14. S. Shivraj (19*) and Shubhang Hegde (10*) put the long handle to good use, scoring some crucial runs before rain decided to pay an untimely visit.

The delay forced the umpires and officials to rework the playing conditions, and Mysore, who scored 112/5 in 16.3 overs, would have 114 runs to defend in 14 overs against Mangalore United.

In response, Mangalore too lost early wickets as Macneil Noronha (9) failed to cash in on conditions that seemed to have eased out. Captain R. Samarth though was taking confident strides towards the target, even though he saw Nikin Jose (9) make the long walk back to the hut in the 6th over.

With rain eyeing yet another visit, new man Abhinav Manohar and Samarth were looking to up the ante, driving the score to 53/2 in 7 overs. Rain stopped play on 7.5 overs with Mangalore's score on 63/2, having edged ahead of the par score on the basis of VJD method.

Brief Scores — Mysore Warriors: 112/5 in 16.3 overs (Nihal Ullal 44, S. Shivraj 19*, Rohit Kumar 2/32, H.S. Sharath 1/12) lost by 8 runs against **Mangalore United:** 63/2 in 7.5 overs (R. Samarth 31*, Abhinav Manohar 14*, Vidyadhar Patil 1/21).

Players of Mangalore United and Mysore Warriors in action during a match of Maharaja Trophy KSCA T20 Cricket Tournament at SDNR Wadiyar Grounds in city yesterday.

TODAY'S MATCHES (AUGUST 9)

Gulbarga Mystics Vs Shivamogga Strikers	3.00 pm
Bengaluru Blasters Vs Hubli Tigers	7.00 pm

TOMORROW'S MATCHES (AUGUST 10)

Mysore Warriors Vs Hubli Tigers	3.00 pm
Mangalore United Vs Shivamogga Strikers	7.00 pm

Venue: SDNR Wadiyar Stadium, Mysuru

[Catch live on Star Sports 2 and Star Sports Kannada. Live streaming on Fancode app]

Blasters beat Mystics

A fine half-century by captain Mayank Agarwal and then a fruitful spell with the ball by Ronit More paved the way for the Bengaluru Blasters to begin their Maharaja Trophy campaign with a resounding win at SDNR Wadiyar Grounds. The Blasters handed Gulbarga Mystics an 54-run defeat, in what was the opening game for both.

Asked to bat first, the Bengaluru Blasters put on quite the show, with the captain Mayank Agarwal leading from the front. Mayank, who opened with L.R. Chethan (25) put on a solid 61-run stand before the first wicket fell in the final over the powerplay.

While the Blasters lost Chethan, it did not slow them down as Mayank and K.V. Aneesh continued to score quite freely, with the captain playing the more aggressive role in the partnership. Mayank went on to score a 25-ball-52, hitting 7 fours and 2 sixes in that time before being runout, a tad bit unluckily at the non-striker's end.

Aneesh though held on at the other end, shepherding the innings well, even after the dismissal of the skipper. Suraj Ahuja added 17, Shivkumar Rakshith brought in 12 more runs before Jagadeesha Suchith was packed off for 6 runs. Kranthi Kumar added a quickfire 22, while Aneesh, who hit five boundaries, departed for 44 just before the end of the innings. The Blasters' batters made significant contributions, helping pile on 189/8 in their innings. Vidhwath Kaverappa and Ritesh Bhatkal bagged a couple of wickets each while C.A. Karthik and Pranav Bhatia picked one each for the Gulbarga Mystics.

In response, the Mystics had a horror start, losing Codanda Ajit Karthik (0) and then captain Manish Pandey (2) in the first over as Ronit More struck. The stylish Devdutt Paddikal and K.L. Shrijith had the task of rebuilding from there, and on cue they dropped anchor, hoping to absorb some pressure.

The duo put on a 34-run stand and were starting to pick up the pace when Padikkal had his woodwork disturbed for 18, just before the end of the powerplay. The pressure was well and truly on Gulbarga, and they needed quick runs, but Bangalore's Mohith could only add 10 to the cause, before he and Shrijith (25) departed within five runs of each other midway through chase.

Kruthik Krishna (6) became More's third wicket before Rishi Bopanna sent Ritesh Bhatkal packing for 10. Manoj Bhandage (35) counter punched in the final phases of the chase, finishing as the highest scorer on the chasing side, but the Blasters were too far out ahead. Abhilash Shetty (2) and Pranav Bhatia (10) were the last two wickets to fall as the Blasters won at a canter.

Brief Scores — Bengaluru Blasters: 189/8 in 20 overs (Mayank Agarwal 52, K.V. Aneesh 44, Vidhwath Kaverappa 2/35, Ritesh Bhatkal 2/18) beat **Gulbarga Mystics:** 135/10 in 19.1 overs (Manoj Bhandage 35, K.L. Shrijith 25, Ronit More 4/22, L.R. Kumar 2/12) by 54 runs.

MYSORE SUMMER RACES 2022

(By Our Racing Correspondent)

"Forseti for Mysore Race Club Million 2022

Mysuru, Aug. 9- Following are the selections for 13th day of Mysore Summer Races to be held here on Wednesday — Aug. 10, 2022:

1.	12.30 PM	**THE AMBA VILAS PALACE PLATE** 1400 mts. - rated 00 to 25 *1. SHIVALIK EMPEROR 2. GOLD CHARM*
2.	1.00 PM	**THE KARIGHATTA STAKES** 1600 mts. - rated 20 to 45 *1. MYSTIC MOUNTAIN 2. VANDAN*
3.	1.30 PM	**THE NADIR PLATE** 1400 mts. - rated 20 to 45 *1. HIGH LAND PARK 2. FESTIVE STAR*
4.	2.00 PM	**THE JAYACHAMARAJA WADIYAR GOLF CLUB TROPHY** - 1200 mts. - 3 years (terms) *1. MEADOW FLOWER 2. MILOS*
5.	2.30 PM	**THE URSU GYMKHANA CLUB TROPHY** 1400 mts. - rated 40 to 65 *1. MUTANT 2. D THIRTEEN TWELVE*
6.	3.00 PM	**THE KANTEERAVA NARASIMHARAJA SPORTS CLUB TROPHY - DIV. I** 1100 mts. - rated 20 to 45 *1. FLYING FALCON 2. SUPER SEXY*
7.	3.30 PM	**THE EQUINE VETERINARIANS TROPHY** 1600 mts. - rated 60 to 85 *1. FLASH BOND 2. SADEEK*
8.	4.00 PM	**THE HEMAVATHI MILLION 2022** 2000 mts. - 4 years (terms) *1. MY OPINION 2. ANGELINO*
9.	4.30 PM	**THE MYSORE RACE CUB MILLION 2022** 1600 mts. - 3 years (terms) *1. FORSETI 2. ASHWA YUDHVIR*
10.	5.00 PM	**THE KANTEERAVA NARASIMHARAJA SPORTS CLUB TROPHY - DIV. II** 1100 mts. - rated 20 to 45 *1. EWANDOR 2. KALAHARI GOLD*

DAY'S BEST: *MUTANT*
DOUBLE: *1. MY OPINION 2. FORSETI*
JACKPOT: *6, 7, 8, 9, 10*
I TREBLE: *2, 3, 4* ***II TREBLE:*** *5, 6, 7*
III TREBLE: *8, 9, 10* ***EXACTAS:*** *9, 10*

—Tipster PGC

WORD OF THE DAY

Brouhaha

Pronunciation: BROO-hah-hah.
Meaning: Brouhaha is a synonym of both uproar and hubbub, and can mean "a noisy confusion of sound" or "state of commotion."
Origin: The English language borrowed brouhaha directly from French in the late 18th century, but its origins beyond that are uncertain — not quite the subject of noisy brouhaha but perhaps more modest debate. What's less arguable is that brouhaha is fun to say, as are many of its synonyms, including hubbub, williwaw, hullabaloo, bobbery, and kerfuffle. And many of these, also like brouhaha, tend to suggest a certain judgment that the reason for all the foofaraw is a bit silly, or at least not worth getting all worked up about. A dad joke, for example, might raise some brouhaha, even though it's really no reason for an uproar to brew. Haha!
Example: "An international piano competition back in 1958—the Tchaikovsky, in Moscow—made Texas-raised Van Cliburn an overnight international celebrity. In the height of Cold War tensions, his face was splashed across front pages, and he was feted with a ticker tape parade on Wall Street. No classical music competition anywhere stirs up that kind of brouhaha today." — Scott Cantrell

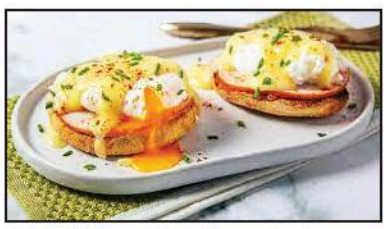
THE ODD WORD

Balbutient

Stammering.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

A bad egg



Meaning: Someone or something that disappoints expectations.
Origin: The allusion is clearly to the disappointment felt when cracking or shelling an egg, only to find that it is bad. The earliest use of the phrase in that context that I have found is in the Milwaukee Daily American, September 1856: "Mayor Wood is moving heaven and earth to procure his renomination. One of his dodges is, to get up letters in the newspaper, pretending to emanate from 'distinguished citizens,' including merchants, mechanics and working men, soliciting him in the most pathetic terms to present himself to the dear people. There are also on the list a number of notorious blacklegs whom Woods keeps in pay. He is a bad egg."

QUOTE BOX

The present was an egg laid by the past that had the future inside its shell.

—Zora Neale Hurston

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

OCE ANS

Answer :Oceans apart

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Alcott heroine of "Little Women"
4 Commander, in short?
7 The heavens
10 Fifth sign of the Zodiac
11 Wander about aimlessly
13 "Lake" anagram for a vegetable?
14 Surrounding atmosphere
16 Greek peak
17 Curved upper surfaces of liquid in a tube?
19 _____ oblige : French phrase meaning "Privilege entails responsibility"?
21 180 degrees from NNW
24 Spiritual mentor
25 Representative
27 French military - "a mere" change?
29 Hitches
30 Second-hand vehicle (4,3)
33 It might shade you from sun
34 Gaelic sea god
35 Taking no notice
38 Personal file
39 You in old English
42 Important event
46 Lacklustre
47 ___ through : completes successfully?
48 Undergarment
49 Public Sector Unit, in short
50 ___ one's heart out : grieve quite a lot?
51 Stomach muscles

DOWN

1 ___ mode : in this fashion or style (1,2)
2 Thirteenth letter of Hebrew alphabet
3 Teenage lout
4 Angler's basket
5 English poet
6 One who is hostile towards people of other ethnic origins
7 KLM competitor
8 Kilolitres, abbr.
9 This is an affirmative answer
12 Dirty or filthy
13 Colourful carp
15 Moistened or tinged deeply
18 Boletus mushrooms
19 Hospital employee
20 An abalone?
21 Marks; blemishes
22 Wise men; seers
23 Otherwise
24 Ancient France
26 Buries or entombs
28 Return of sound?
31 Greek fabulist
32 Go to the aid of
36 Authoritative statements?
37 Last but not the ___?
38 Invest with nickname
39 Telegu Desam Party, acronym
40 Day divs.
41 Org. of African Unity
43 Ind. Bankers Assoc.
44 Globe or eyeball
45 Natl. Airspace Sys.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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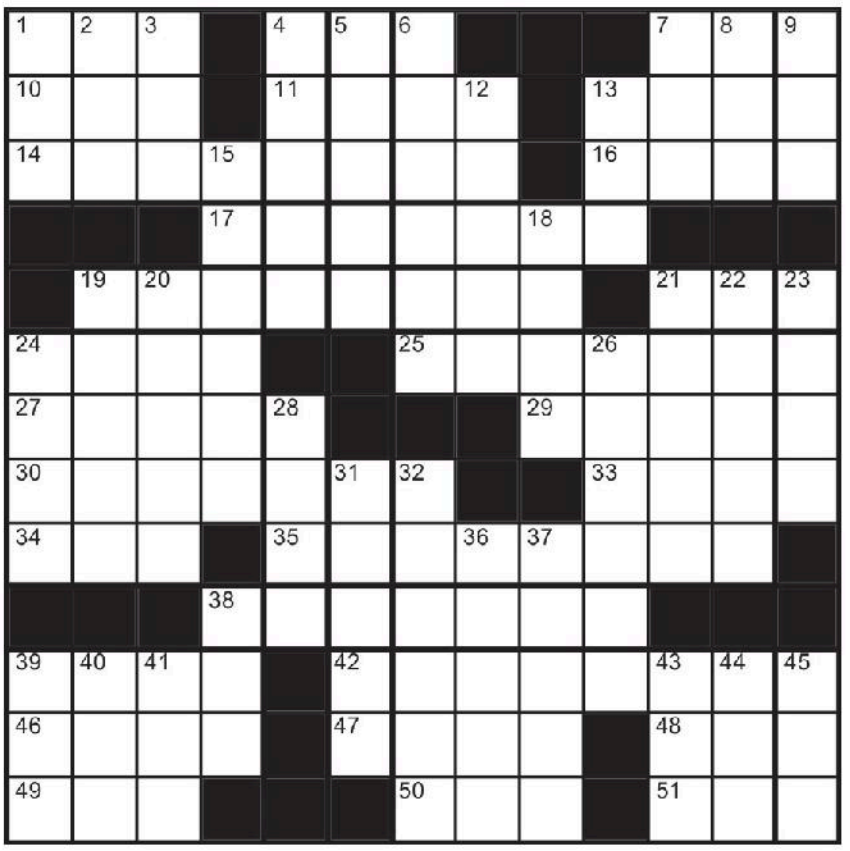

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Answer to previous puzzle

4	1	5	2	7	8	9	3	6
9	8	6	4	5	3	1	2	7
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1	9	4	7	6	2	3	5	8
6	3	8	1	9	5	2	7	4
8	4	1	5	2	9	7	6	3
2	5	9	6	3	7	4	8	1
3	6	7	8	4	1	5	9	2

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

SVU KBUKVJMJ VS WTECVG GVEACGD CJ OVUM

BJMSBQ EAWG GWUUVYGMJJ VS EAVBDAE

TVOICGMR YCEA MGMUDZ VS YCQQ.

TODAY'S CLUE: D EQUALS G

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind.

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Sita Ramam (Te)	(S-1)	4.20 pm
	(S-3)	10.10 am, 6.55 pm
Bullet Train (E)	(S-1)	7.25 pm, 9.55 pm
	(S-3)	4.15 pm
Paappan (Ma)	(S-2)	9.50 am, 10.00 pm
Katerri (Ta)	(S-2)	1.00 pm
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DC League of Super Pets (E)	(S-2)	1.35 pm
	(S-4)	11.45 am, 8.10 pm
Bullet Train (E)	(S-3)	10.10 am, 3.30 pm
	(S-4)	10.30 pm
Sita Ramam (Te)	(S-2)	10.15 am, 6.40 pm
Paappan (Ma)	(S-2)	10.00 pm
Kuruthi Aattam (Ta)	(S-4)	5.05 pm
Poikkal Kuthirai (Ta)	(S-3)	12.55 pm
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Bimbisara (Te)	:	1.10 pm, 7.10 pm, 10.10 pm

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Paappan (Ma)	:	9.45 pm

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Bimbisara (Te)	:	1.30 pm, 4.15 pm, 6.15 pm
Paappan (Ma)	:	9.15 pm

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Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games concludes

India finishes fourth in the medals tally with 22 gold, 16 silver and 23 bronze

FROM LEFT: ***P.V. Sindhu; Lakshya Sen; Chirag Shetty & Satwiksairaj Rankireddy; Achanta Sharath Kamal.***

Birmingham, Aug. 9- It has been a marvellous final day for the Indian contingent at the Commonwealth Games with four gold medals, one silver and one bronze. With the final day heroics, India finished fourth in the medals tally with 22 gold, 16 silver and 23 bronze.

P.V. Sindhu and Lakshya Sen clinched the women's and men's singes titles in badminton to give India a good start. Sindhu beat Canada's Michelle Li in the women's singles final while Lakshya Sen defeated Malaysia's Tze Yong NG in three games in badminton men's singles. The badminton men's doubles pair of Chirag Shetty and Satwiksairaj Rankireddy then beat England's Ben Lane/Sean Vendy to make it three gold medals from badminton. In Table Tennis (TT), Achanta Sharath Kamal clinched yet another gold medal from the Games as he won the men's singles final defeating England's Liam Pitchford.

G. Sathiyan won the TT men's singles bronze medal earlier in the day. However, the men's hockey team lost to Australia 0-7 in the final and settled for silver.

The CWG 2022 came to an end yesterday after a glittering closing ceremony at the Alexander Stadium in Birmingham. The Games flag was lowered and handed over Victoria, Australia which host the next edition of the CWG in 2026. The closing ceremony had kicked off with a performance from Solihull band Ocean Colour Scene followed by a musical performance from the Birmingham-born band Dexys Midnight Runners.

CWG-2022 Final Medal Tally

	Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1.	Australia	67	57	54	178
2.	England	57	66	53	176
3.	Canada	26	32	34	92
4.	India	22	16	23	61

EVENTS TODAY (AUGUST 9)

- **South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur, Ministry of Culture, Government of India and All India Folk and Tribal Art Parishat (New Delhi), Mysuru Unit, KSOU, Rangayana, Mysuru and KSGH Music University:** Three-day Adivasi Nrutya Mahotsav, District Minister S.T. Somashekar inaugurates, MLA L. Nagendra presides, Cauvery auditorium, KSOU premises, **4.30 pm.**
- **Samskruta Bharati - Vid. T. Narayana Shastry Pratishtanam:** Samskruta Saptaha-2022, discourse on 'Kavyashastra Vinoda' by Dr. H.V. Nagaraja Rao, Vishwam auditorium, #435, 8th Main Road, Saraswathipuram, **5.50 pm.** [Mob: 94484-42763]
- **Sutturmutt, Mysuru:** Shravanamasa Rituals and 'Samskrutha Darshana' Discourse Programme, mass prayers, **6 pm;** Discourse by Dr. B.V. Vasantha Kumar on Karnataka Culture, Mutt premises, foot of Chamundi Hill, **6.30 pm to 7 pm.**
- **Vishwajnani Samskrutika Kala Trust, Kollegal:** Valedictory of Vishwajnani Theatre Training Camp and staging of the play 'Aksharada Adigallu' by camp participants, Kiru Rangamandira, Kalamandira premises, Mysuru, **6.30 pm.**
- **Avadhoota Datta Peetha:** Guru Purnima, Chaturmasya Vrata Deeksha rituals by Junior Pontiff Sri Datta Vijayanananda Theertha Swamiji, special programmes, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashram, Nanjangud Road, **7 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (AUGUST 10)

- **Sarada Vilas Educational Institutions:** 75th Independence Day celebrations, 'Namma Nadige Rashtraikyatedege,' Mayor (in-Charge) Sunanda Palanetra inaugurates, Sarada Vilas Educational Institutions President Dr. B.M. Subraya, MMC&RI Dean and Director Dr. H.N. Dinesh, Sarada Vilas Educational Institutions Hon. Secretary N. Chandrashekar and Corporator Dr. G. Roopa chief guests, Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple, Palace North Gate, **9 am.**
- **Mysore Palace Board:** Dasara-2022, welcoming of Dasara first batch elephants to Palace, District Minister S.T. Somashekar guest of honour, Jayamarthanda Gate, **9.20 am.**
- **MMK&SDM Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Krishnamurthypuram:** Smt. Lakshmi Nagaraju Endowment Memorial Inter-Collegiate Karnatak Classical Music Competition Silver Jubilee Inauguration, Professor Dr. Jyothi Shankar chief guest, Degree College Principal Prof. Sainath Malligemadu presides, Music concert by Vidu. Narayani Bollava, College premises, **10 am.**
- **South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur, Ministry of Culture, Government of India and All India Folk and Tribal Art Parishat (New Delhi), Mysuru Unit, KSOU, Rangayana, Mysuru and KSGH Music University:** Adivasi Nrutya Mahotsav - Seminar and Workshop, KSGH Music and Performing Arts University Vice-Chancellor Prof. V. Nagesh Bettakote inaugurates, Music University premises, Lakshmipuram, **11 am;** Performances, Rangayana Mysuru Director Addanda C. Cariappa inaugurates, ADC Dr. Manjunathaswamy presides, Rangayana premises, **5.30 pm.**
- **Samskruta Bharati - Vid. T. Narayana Shastry Pratishtanam:** Samskruta Saptaha-2022, discourse on 'Brahmavadiniyaru' by Soudamini, Vishwam auditorium, #435, 8th Main Road, Saraswathipuram, **5.50 pm.** [Mob: 94484-42763]

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